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Inventor(s): Daniel Young & Jeffrey Byrne
Title: Semiconductor Device Adapted For Forming Multiple Scan Chains

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X Seven (7) page(s) Claims
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X Three (3) sheet(s) of Drawings including Figures 1, 2a, 2b, 3, and 4
X Two (2) page(s) Declaration For Patent Application and Power of Attorney
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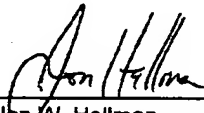
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